

## REMARKS

Applicants acknowledge receipt of the Office Action of March 28, 2007. In response to the action, Applicants have:

- a) deleted the term “thio” from Claim 1;
- b) deleted the definitions from the claims;
- c) canceled Claim 8 and rewritten as Claim 12 in appropriate therapeutic method claim form;
- d) amended Claims 5, 6, 9 and 10 to correct the multiple dependency issues; and
- e) canceled Claim 10.

Applicants submit that these amendments overcome the rejections of Claims 1-11 based on either 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph and 35 U.S.C. 101. Applicants request a telephone interview to discuss the amendments and rejections if the Examiner is so inclined. With the above amendments, Applicants submit that all of the Claims (1-7, 9 and 11-12) are in proper form for allowance.

Should there be any questions regarding this Response, the Examiner may please contact the undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed.

Respectfully submitted,

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